

**STATE OF ILLINOIS  
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION**

NeuStar, Inc., in its role as North American	)	
Numbering Plan Administrator	)	
	)	Docket No. 01-0656
Petition for Approval of Numbering Plan	)	
Area Relief Planning for the 217 NPA	)	

**VERIZON’S PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE**

Verizon North Inc. and Verizon South Inc. (“Verizon”), through their attorneys, respectfully petition the Illinois Commerce Commission pursuant to 83 Ill. Admin. Code 200.200 for leave to intervene in the above-referenced docket. In support thereof, Verizon states as follows:

1. Verizon is a telecommunications carrier providing telecommunications services to customers in portions of the area served by the 217 NPA, and has been assigned NXX codes in the 217 NPA. As a result, Verizon has an interest in the subject matter of this proceeding and will be affected by the order entered herein.

2. Due to an apparent administrative oversight recently brought to Verizon’s attention, Verizon did not previously file a petition for leave to intervene in this docket. However, Verizon has appeared through counsel and participated actively throughout this proceeding, including attending hearings and filing sworn testimony. All parties have had the opportunity to respond to the positions presented by Verizon, and therefore, there will be no prejudice to any party by granting Verizon’s petition for leave to intervene now. Verizon accepts the status of the record as it exists at this time.

3. Copies of all notices, orders, pleadings and correspondence in this docket should

be sent to the following:

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4. Verizon agrees to accept service by electronic means.

**WHEREFORE**, Verizon North Inc. and Verizon South Inc. respectfully request that their Petition for Leave to Intervene be granted, and that they be made parties to this proceeding.

Dated: August 3, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

**Verizon North Inc. and Verizon South Inc.**

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**VERIFICATION**

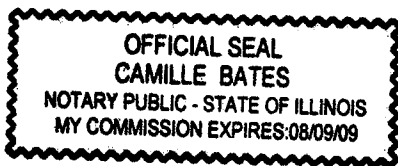
Deborah Kuhn, being first duly sworn under oath, deposes and states that she is one of the attorneys for Verizon North Inc. and Verizon South Inc., that she has read the foregoing Petition to Intervene and knows the contents thereof, and that the same are true and correct to the best of her knowledge, information and belief.

  
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Deborah Kuhn

Subscribed and sworn to me  
this 3rd day of August, 2006.

  
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Notary Public, State of ILLINOIS

My commission expires: AUGUST 9, 2009



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**NOTICE OF FILING**

Please take notice that on August 3, 2006, I caused "Verizon's Petition for Leave to Intervene" in the above-captioned matter to be filed electronically with the Illinois Commerce Commission via its E-Docket system.

  
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Deborah Kuhn

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Deborah Kuhn, certify that I caused "Verizon's Petition for Leave to Intervene," together with a Notice of Filing, to be served upon all parties on the attached service list on this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2006, by electronic mail.

  
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